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FOR AMBASSADOR SCRANTON

FOLLOWING REPEAT JAKARTA 11242 ACTION KUALA LUMPUR SECSTATE
GENEVA INFO SINGAPORE 27 AUG 1976

QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE JAKARTA 11242

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SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE REFUGEE BOAT CASE: "CHOU-LONG-

REF: STATE 212638

1. EMBASSY INFORMED ON CONFIDENTIAL BASIS THAT "CHOU-LONG"
DEPARTED INDONESIA AT 2300 LOCAL (1600Z) AUGUST 26. OSTENSIBLE
DESTINATION IS BRUNEI BUT IN FACT BOAT IS BOUND FOR KUANTAN,
WEST MALAYSIA WITH ETA 2000 TO 2200 LOCAL (1300-1500Z)
AUGUST 28. "CHOU-LONG" HAS SIX DAYS SUPPLY FUEL, WATER, AND
RATIONS AND AGIP PERSONNEL HAVE REPAIRED MECHANICAL PROBLEM
WITH ENGINE. APPARENTLY DESPITE GOI'S SETTING OF THE TIME
FOR MR. SAMPAT KUMAR'S VISIT, GOI DID NOT REPEAT NOT GIVE
INSTRUCTIONS TO LIAISON OFFICER ON DRILLING RIG TO DELAY
SAILING OF "CHOU-LONG".

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2. FOR KUALA LUMPUR: PLEASE USE DISCRETION IN USE OF THIS
INFORMATION WITH GOM OF YOU BELIEVE IT MIGHT CAUSE GOM TO
TAKE ACTION TO PREVENT LANDING OF "CHOU-LONG."
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